

c. s. c. fully the cargo put on board, some Tob^o, bread, & flour are the chief articles, you will do the best you can for us and send by first good opportunity foll^s articles viz^t Guns with Bayonets, coarse Woollens, coarse Linens, Gunflints, Lead, Powder & Salt Petre. We have heretofore wrote you by Captⁿ Handy a duplicate whereof is now inclosed, when the Fall & Winter comes on, we shall do better we hope. Dunmore's fleet is gone off from the mouth of Potowmack very sickly and in great distress—perhaps our bay will be clearer of ships of war than it has been, if so we shall remit you fully—in the mean time draw on us if you are in want of Cash, payable either in Maryland or Pennsylvania, and we shall pay due honour to your drafts.

Captⁿ Conway is safe arrived in great Wiccomico in Virg^a; we shall get his cargo up soon, and dispatch him as quick as possible.

5th Aug^t, 1776

No. 113.

[Council to Tootell.]

Captⁿ Ja^s Tootell

Sir. The guard at the magazine complain of not having a sufficient quantity of Provision delivered there for three meals p day—we think it is necessary they should have it, & that it may be furnished for 10/ p week, & therefore desire it may be allowed.

5th Aug^t 1776

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[Wiesenthal to Council.]

Baltimore Town Aug 5th 1776.

Gentlemen.

I take the liberty to inform you of my return from the Camp, where I went according to my promise to you, in order to see the Regiment properly taken care of. Doctor Shippen is appointed Surgeon General to the Flying Camp with whom I had a conference and received a letter from him to Genl Marion as Commander in Chief of the Flying Camp in order to concert measures for the forming proper hospitals which was done. I left our Maryland Troops in a good condition at Elizabeth Town and shall take opportunity of giving a fuller account when I arrive at Annapolis.

I have the honour to be Gentlemen

Your mo^o : obed^t Hble Serv^t

C. Wiesenthal

To the Honourable

Council of Safety of Maryland.